My Final Major Project is a size-inclusive women's wear collection that tells the story of my grandfather relocating to the Falkland Islands in the 1950s—a remote, rural area known for its simple, isolated way of life. Growing up, the tales of these islands were woven into my childhood memories, painting a vivid picture of a place often described as "lost in time."

Drawing inspiration from the windswept hills and heathlands of the Falkland Islands, I have created a six-outfit collection featuring textile elements such as boiled wool and knit. I delved into my personal connection to this distant place through my collection, reflecting my vibrant perceptions of the Falklands. The extreme winds that define the islands are expressed in my collection featuring a windswept look throughout. I have incorporated washing lines into my project which was inspired by the winds that sweep across the islands. It is said that nothing grows above ankle height in the Falkland Islands; this is echoed throughout my collection, with all garments designed to be above ankle length.

In my collection, I integrated structural elements using wooden doweling. symbolizing the basic, stripped-back living in the Falkland Islands. This concept is also inspired by milkmaid carrying poles and incorporates references to the Land Army.

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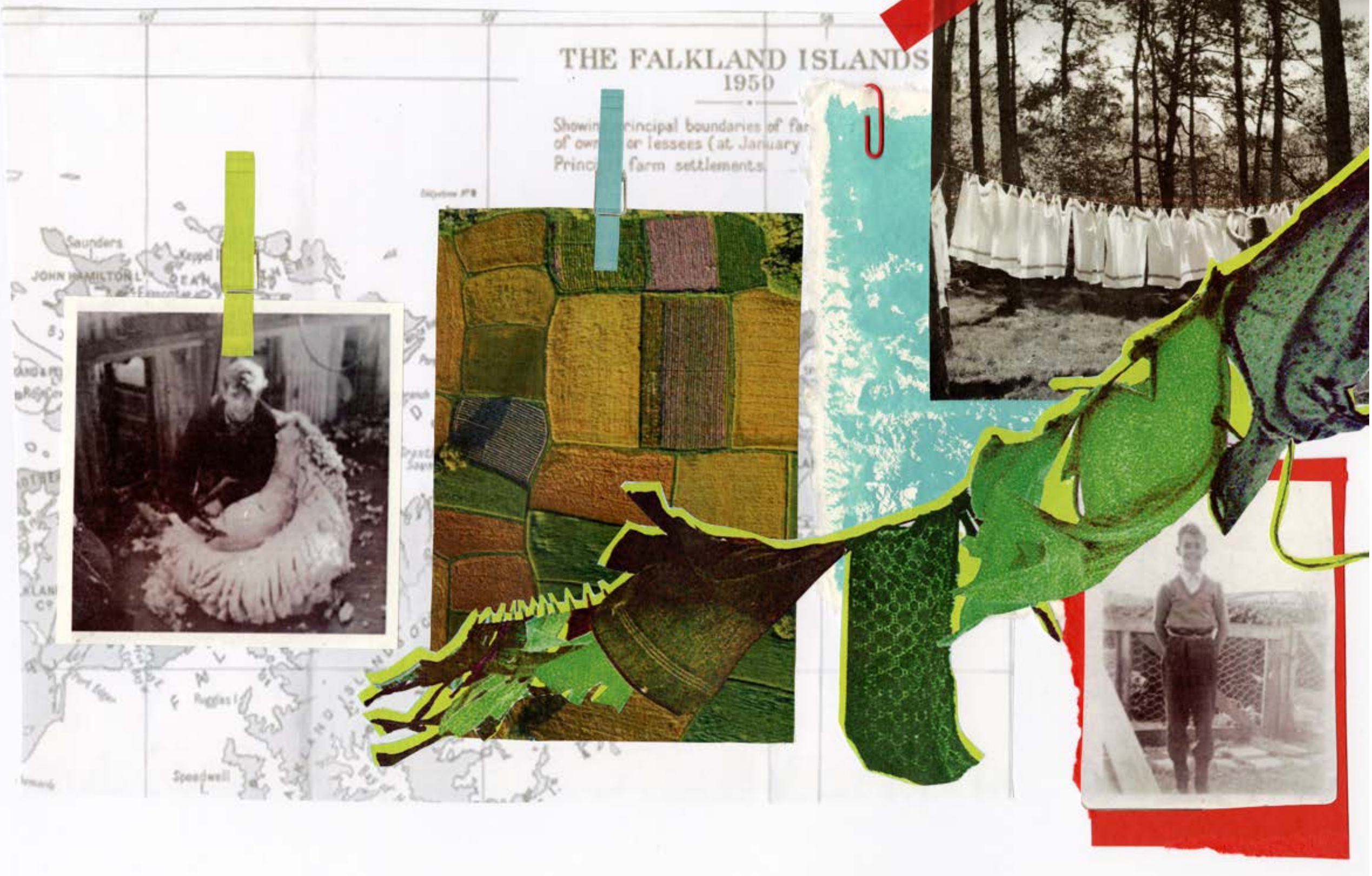
Concept



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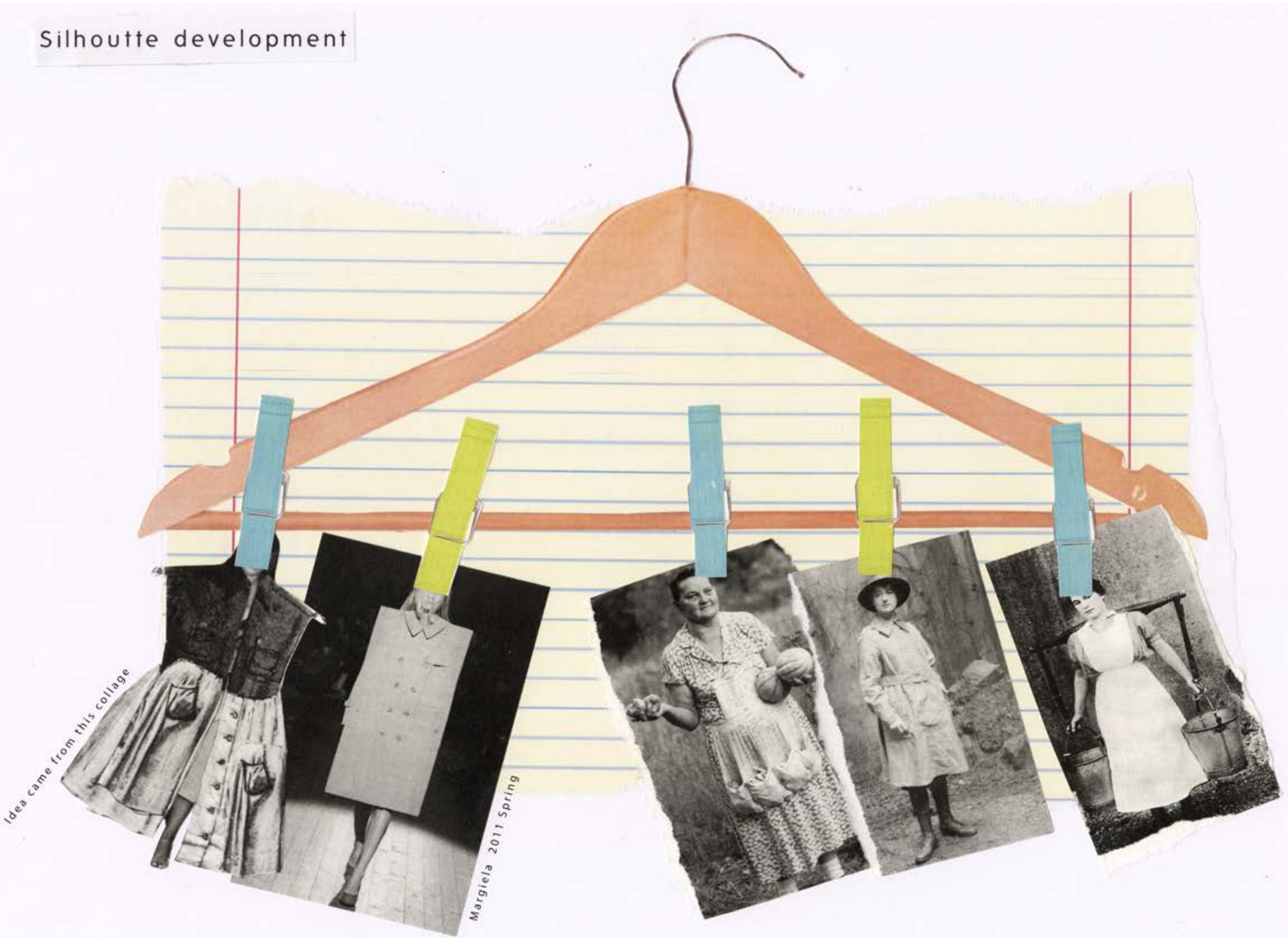


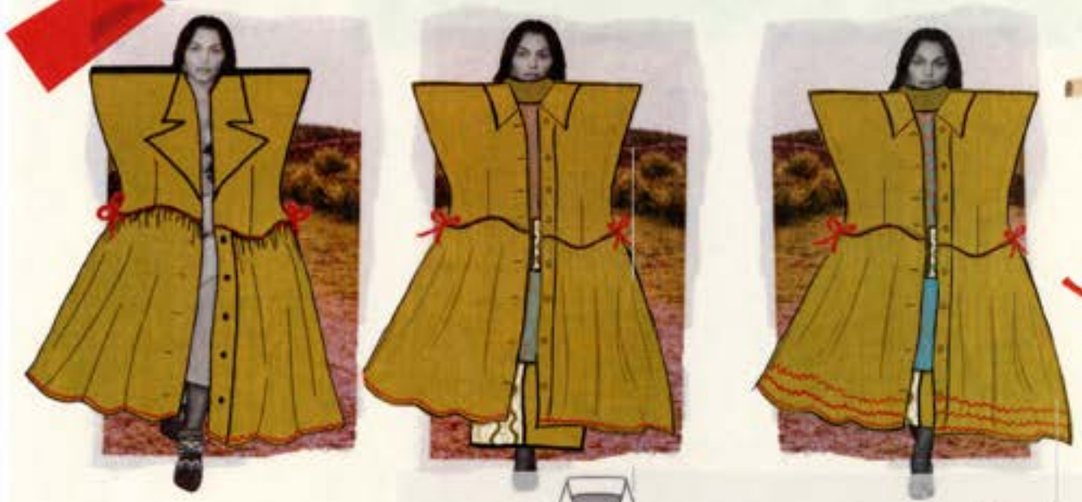
Idea came from this collage

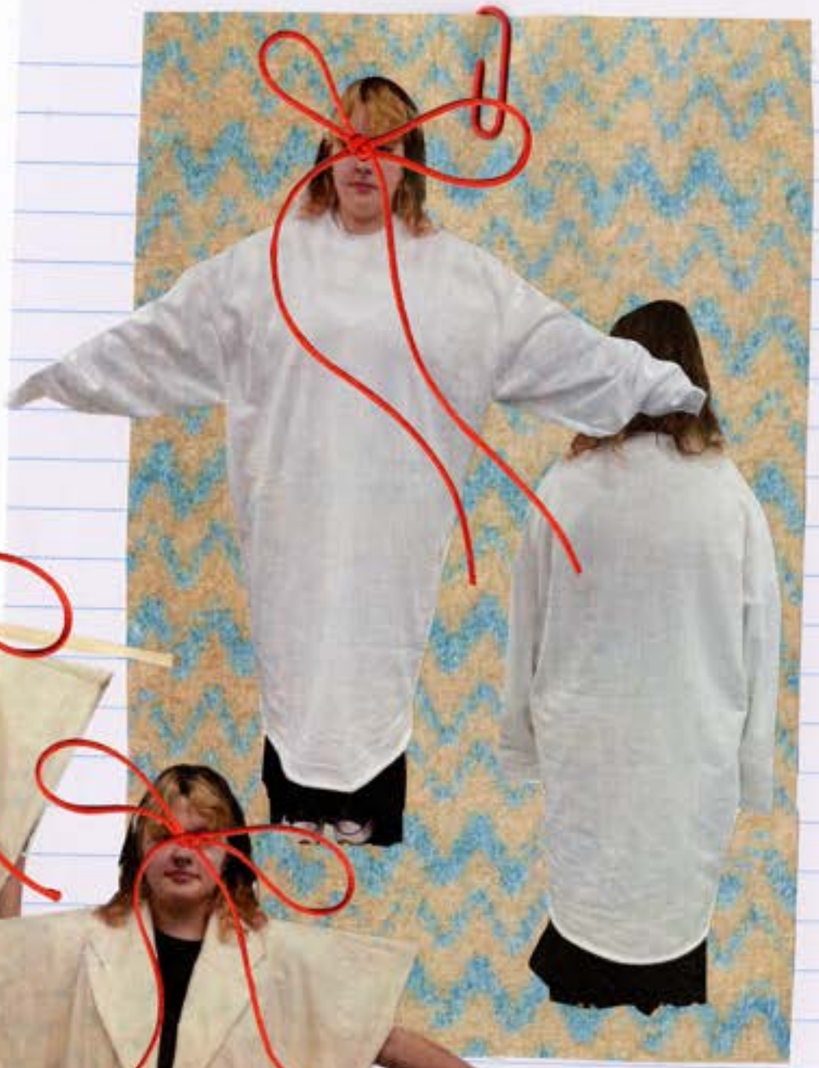
Margiela 2011 Spring

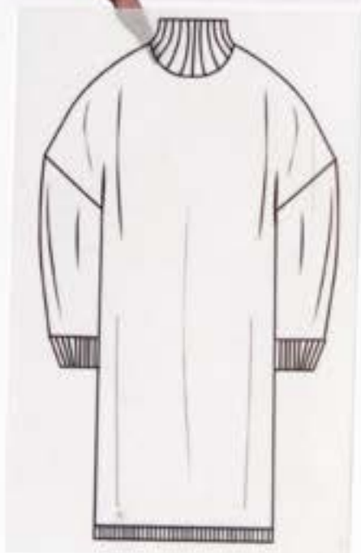
Collages

Drapes with wooden doweling

Outfit 4 Development







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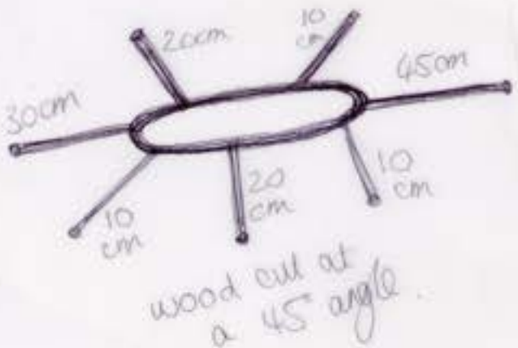
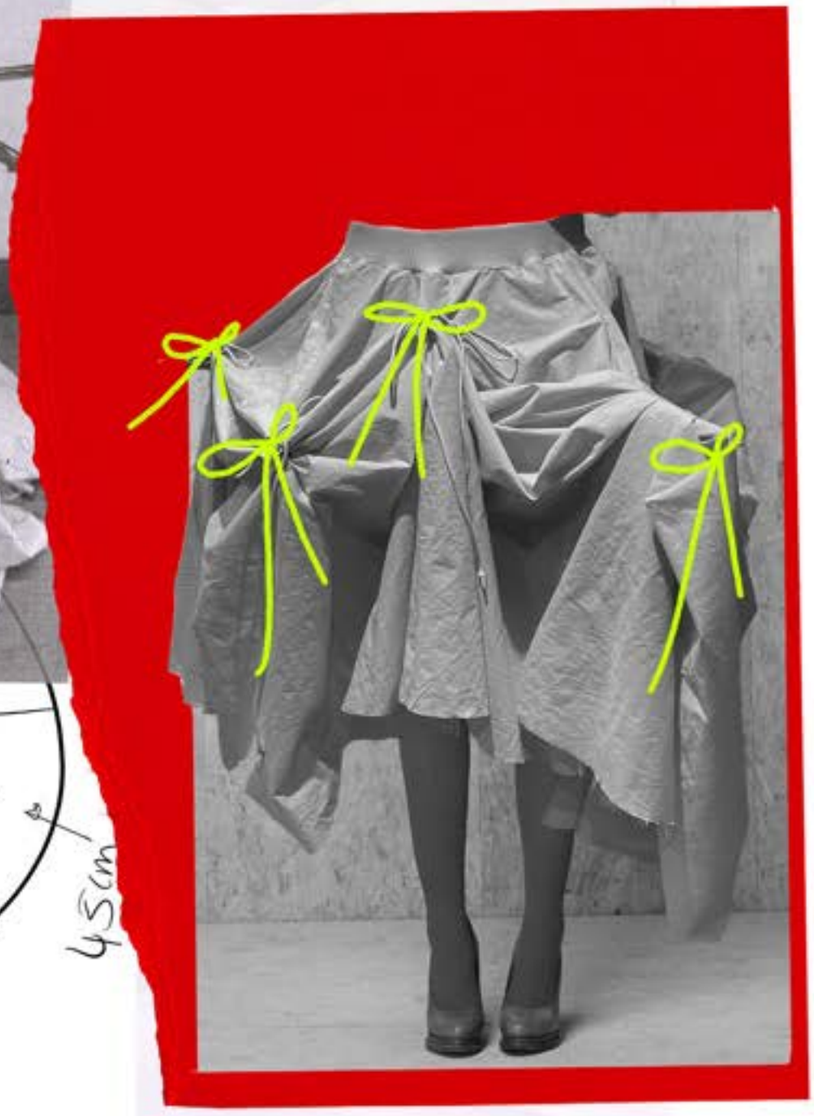
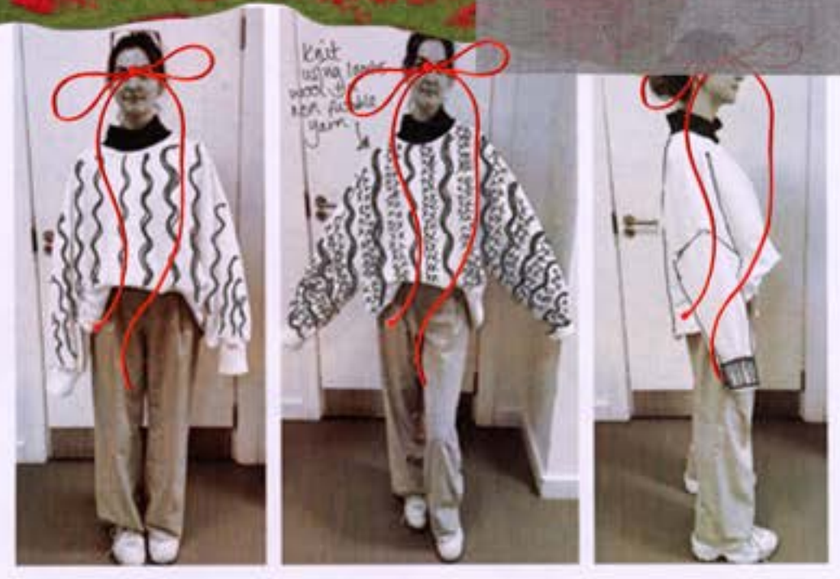
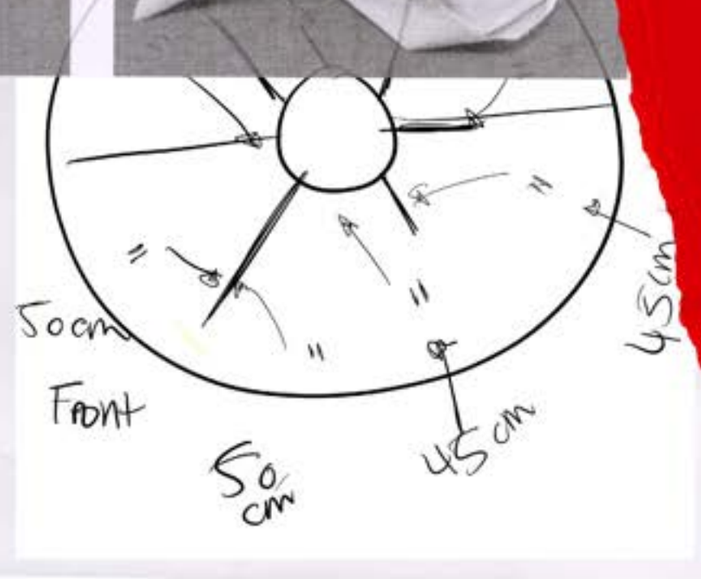


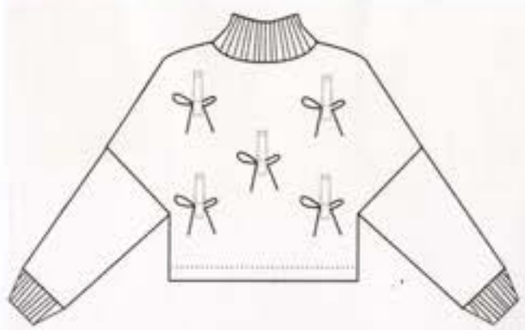


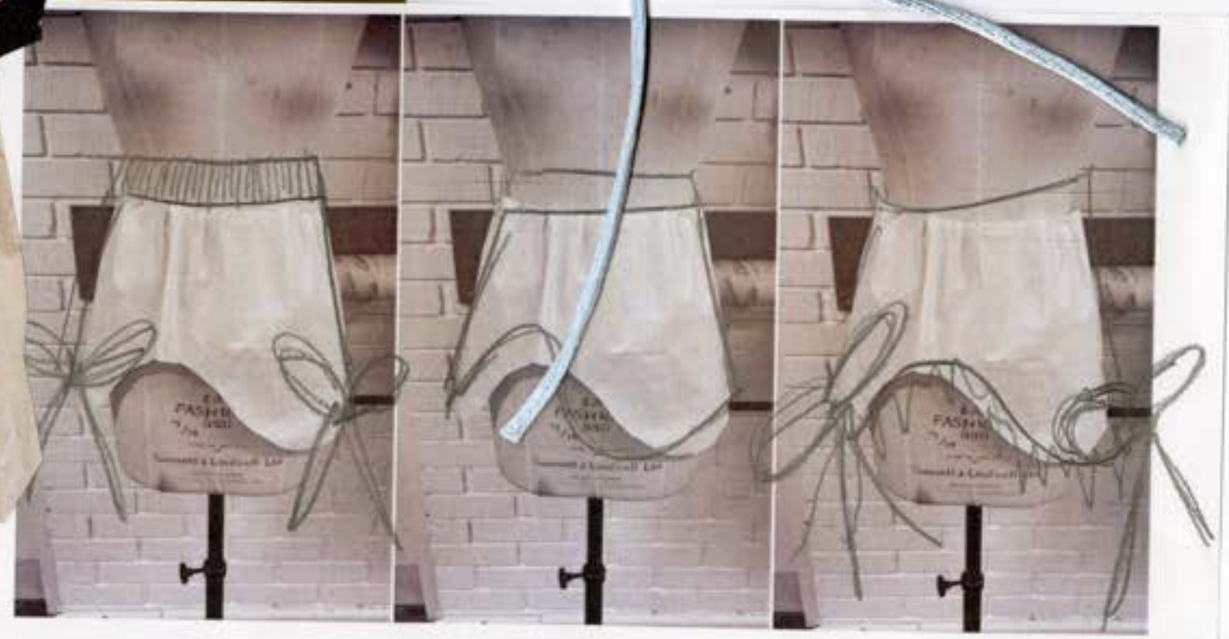




Outfit 2 Process

Outfit 1 Development





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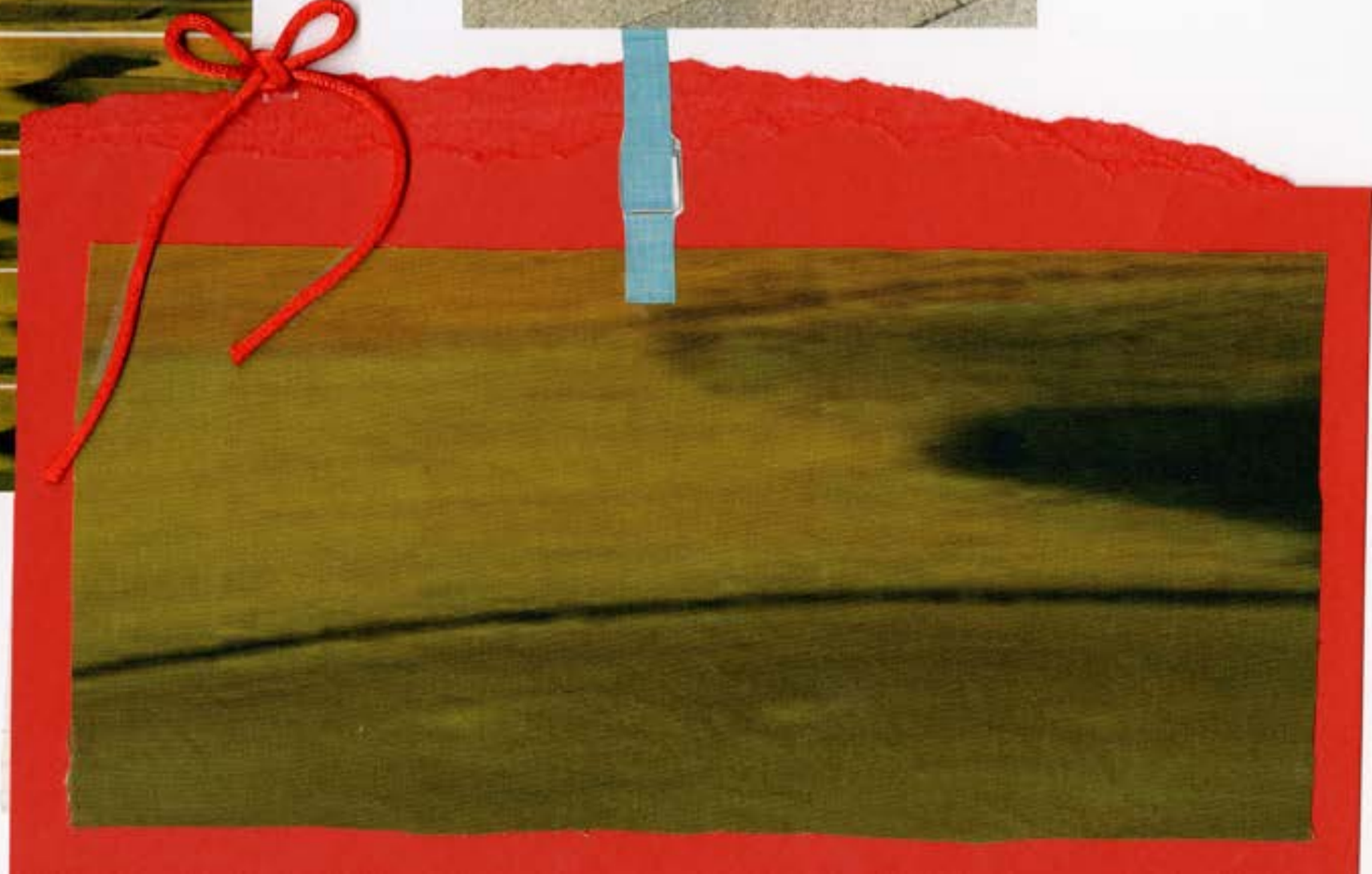

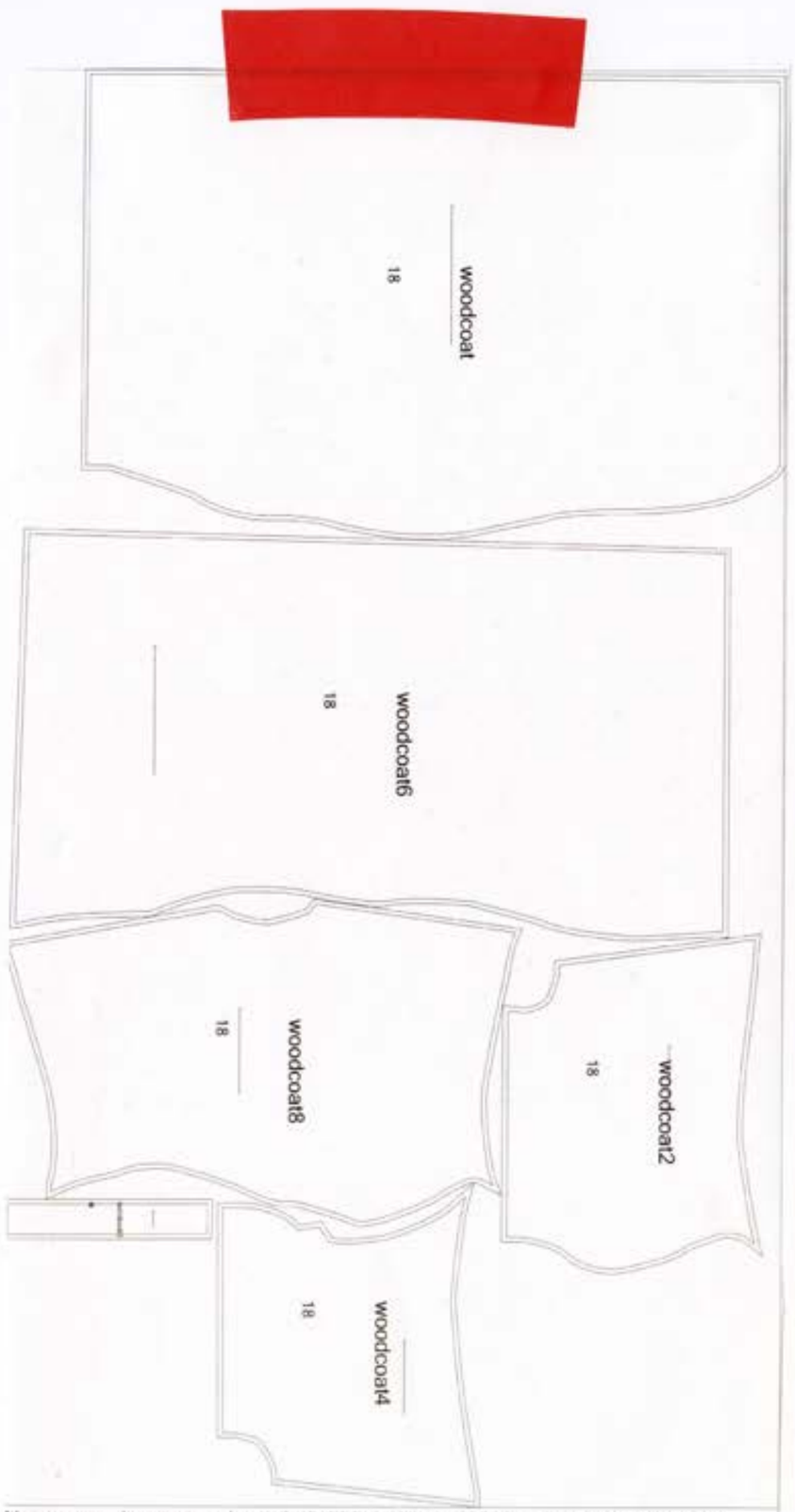

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Size specification

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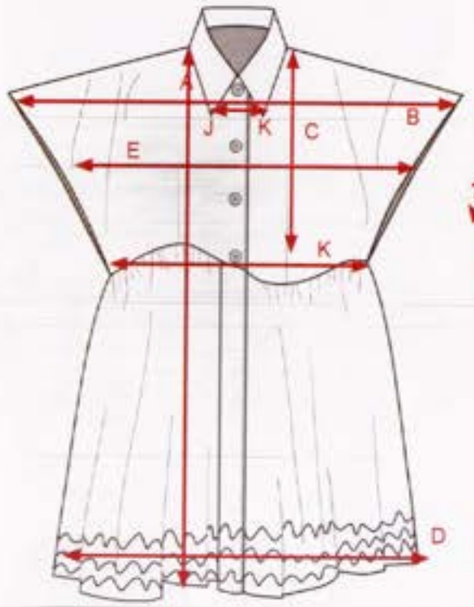
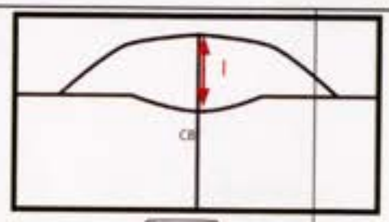
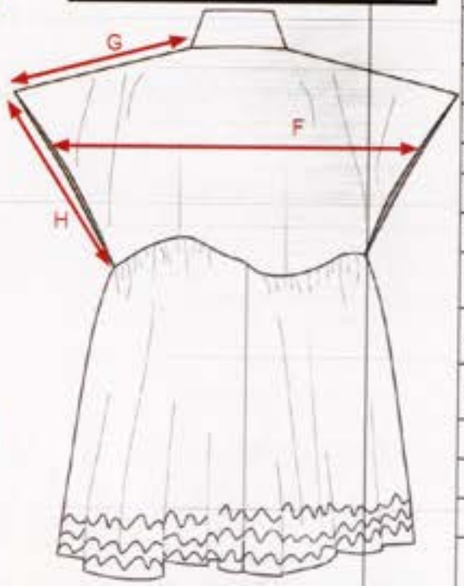
Front, Back and detail of garment







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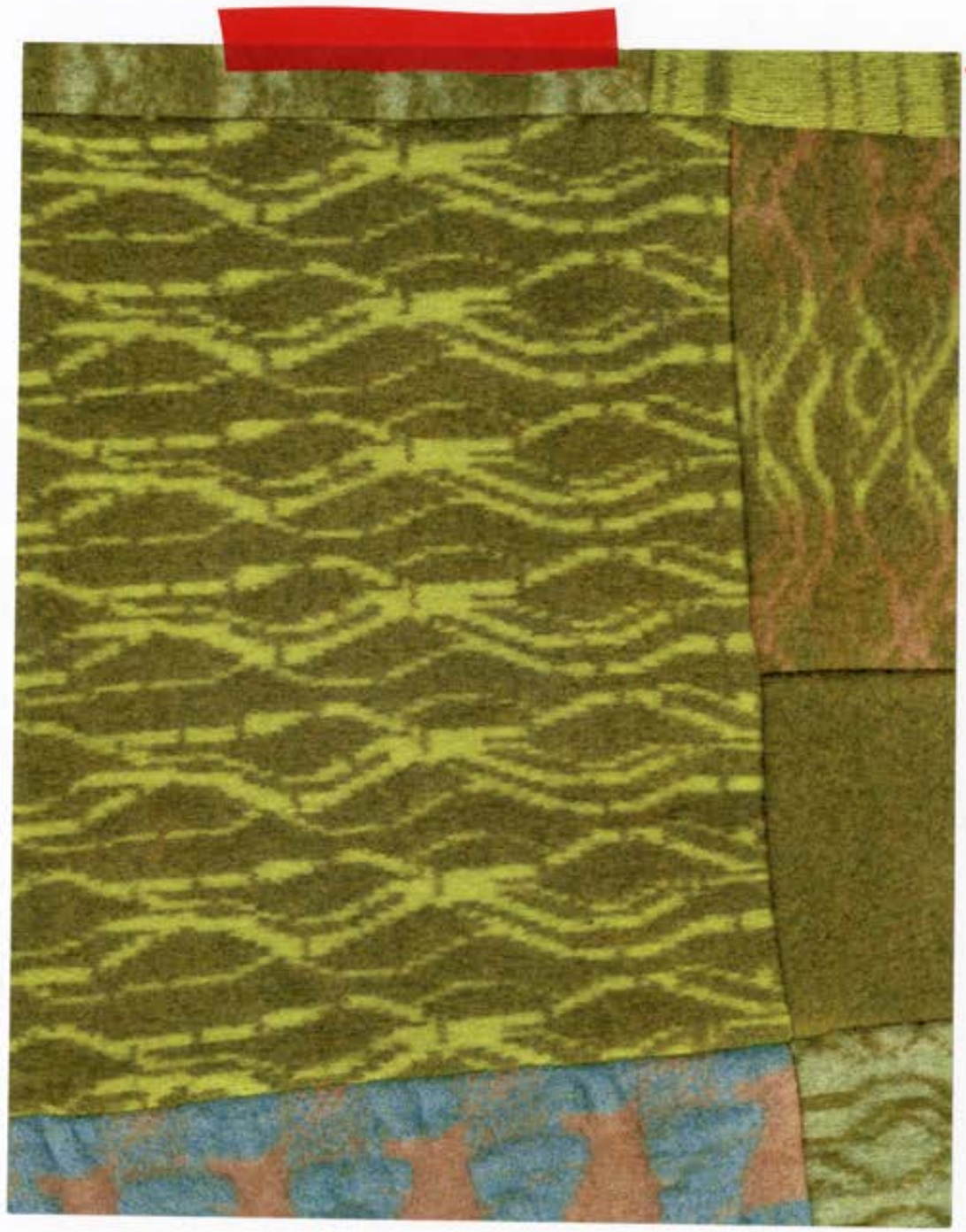
B		Bust - 2.5cm below arm (armhole notched)
C		Waist - 39cm below side point
D		Hem Width
E		Across front - 15cm fro
F		Across back - 15cm fro
G		Shoulder seam Length
H		Armhole - straight
I		Collar depth at CB
J		Collar point to poin
K		Hip line

Patchwork boiled wool



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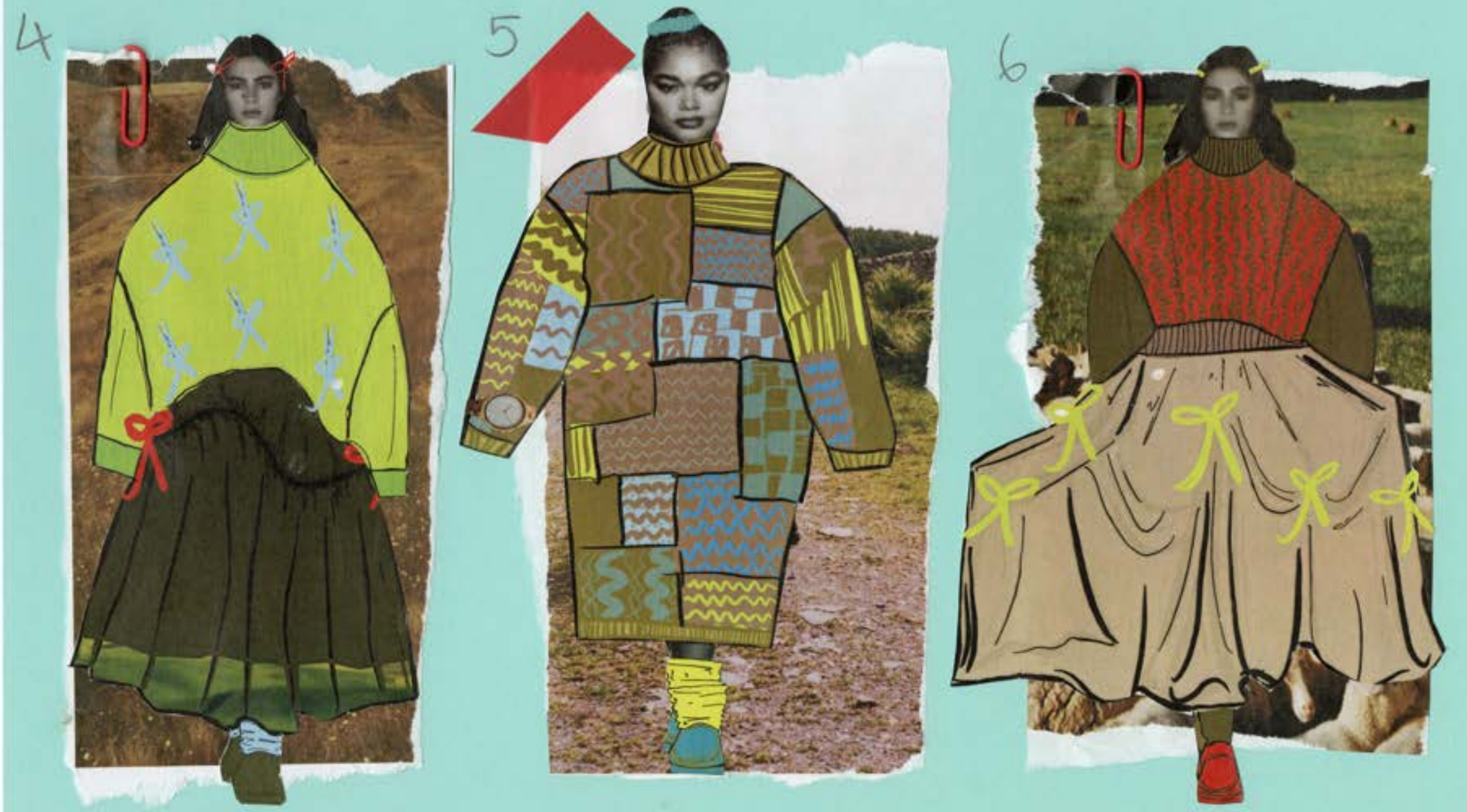
NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF BRITISH PASSENGERS EMBARKED AT THE PORT OF

Line up



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